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E.O. 11652: N/A
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SUBJECT: REFUGEES ON S.S. GATEWAY CITY

REFS: (A) STATE 40109, (B) INGRAHAM-LOWMAN TELCON

1. EMBASSY EXTENDED WRITTEN RESETTLEMENT ASSURANCE TO GOS FOR REFUGEES ABOARD GATEWAY CITY. AS ANTICIPATED GOS WOULD NOT ACCEPT GUARANTEE WITHOUT THREE-MONTH DEADLINE. AFTER CONSULTATION WITH DEPARTMENT (REF B) AMBASSADOR SIGNED LETTER OF GUARANTEE WITH THIS TIME LIMITATION. REFUGEES ARE NOW SCHEDULED TO COME ASHORE LATE THIS AFTERNOON.

2. CONOFF CONTACTED UNHCR REP. CARPENTER AND REQUESTED THAT HE REFER CASES OF GATEWAY CITY REFUGEES TO OTHER MISSIONS AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE. CARPENTER SAID HE WOULD COME TO SINGAPORE EARLY NEXT WEEK FOR THIS PURPOSE.

3. BIODATA COMPILED BY GATEWAY CITY'S CAPTAIN SHOWS THAT TWO REFUGEES CLAIM TO HAVE BROTHERS IN U.S. ONLY ONE REFUGEE
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CLAIMED RELATIVES OUTSIDE THE U.S. - AN UNCLE IN CANADA. NONE HAS APPARENTLY WORKED FOR USG.
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